

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

STANDING COMMITTEE ON STATE DEVELOPMENT

Notice of Public Hearing

Inquiry into Skills Shortages in Rural and Regional NSW

Monday 5 December 2005

Room 814/815 NSW Parliament House Macquarie Street, Sydney

TIME	WITNESSES
10:00 - 10:45	Councillor Allan Smith
	Mayor of Dubbo and Executive Member, Local Government
	Association of NSW
	Councillor Barry Johnston OAM
	Mayor of Inverell and Vice President, Shires Association of NSW
10:45 - 11:30	Mr Brian Seidler
10:45 - 11:50	
	Executive Director, Master Builders Association
11:30 - 11:45	Morning Tea
11:45 - 12.45	Mr Loftus Harris
	Director General, NSW Department of State and Regional
	Development
	Mr Paul Collits
	Manager Regional Policy, NSW Department of State and Regional
	Development
	Mr Michael Cullen
	Executive Director Regional Development, NSW Department of State
	and Regional Development
12:45 - 1:00	Deliberative
1:00 - 2:00	Lunch
2:00 - 2:45	Dr John Buchanan
	Deputy Director (Research), The University of Sydney
2:45 - 3:30	Mr Richard Acheson
	Director, Community Relations Service, Community Relations
	Commission For a multicultural NSW
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3:30 - 3:45	Afternoon Tea

3:45 - 4:30	Ms Nicole Schlederer
	Co- convenor, Migrant Employment and Training Taskforce
	Mrs Cheryl Webster
	Member, Migrant Employment and Training Taskforce
	Mr Alex Burns
	Member, Migrant Employment and Training Taskforce
	Mrs Merryn Howell
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